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Amendments to the Specification

Please add the following new paragraph

[0002] This application is the national stage under 35 U.S.C. 371 of PCT
International Application No. AU01/00213, which has an international filing date of 1
March 2001, and which designates the United States of America. Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119, based upon said PCT application.

Amend paragraph 0015 as follows:

[0015] Preferably, the pseudo-boehmite is added as an aqueous suspension. <u>The quantity of pseudo-boehmite is preferably between about 0.8 wt. % and 5 wt. % based on weight of the mixture.</u>